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§12-707.

(a) A person who violates any provision of the following subtitles or sections of this title is guilty of a misdemeanor and on conviction is subject to a fine not exceeding \$1,000:

- (1) § 12-311 (“Display of licenses”);
- (2) Subtitle 4 (“Pharmacy permits”);
- (3) § 12-502(b) (“Pharmaceutical information”);
- (4) § 12-505 (“Labeling requirements for prescription medicines”);

and

(5) § 12-604 (“General power to inspect drugs, devices, and other products”).

(b) A person who violates any provision of the following sections of this title is guilty of a misdemeanor and on conviction is subject to a fine not exceeding \$1,000 or imprisonment not exceeding 1 year or both:

- (1) § 12-701 (“Practicing pharmacy without license”);
- (2) § 12-702 (“License obtained by false representation”);
- (3) § 12-703 (“Operating a pharmacy without permit”);
- (4) § 12-704 (“Misrepresentations”);
- (5) § 12-6B-12 (“Working as an unregistered pharmacy technician”);

and

- (6) § 12-6D-15 (“Practicing as an unregistered pharmacy intern”).

(c) Each day that a violation of any section of Subtitle 4 of this title continues constitutes a separate offense.

(d) Within 10 days after a court renders the conviction, the court shall report to the Board each conviction of a pharmacist or registered pharmacy technician for:

(1) Any crime regarding the pharmacy or drug laws that involves professional misconduct; or

(2) Any crime that involves the State law regarding controlled dangerous substances or the federal narcotic laws.

(e) (1) Any person who violates § 12–701 (“Practicing pharmacy without a license”), § 12–703 (“Operating a pharmacy without a permit”), § 12–6B–12 (“Working as an unregistered pharmacy technician”), or § 12–6D–15 (“Practicing as an unregistered pharmacy intern”) of this title is subject to a civil fine of not more than \$50,000 to be assessed by the Board.

(2) The Board shall pay any penalty collected under this subsection into the State Board of Pharmacy Fund.

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